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SUBJECT: SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION: NEGOTIATING GROUP #1, INTERNATIONAL TRADE

1. SUMMARY: THE SEPTEMBER 9 MORNING SESSION OF NEGOTIATING GROUP #1 ON TRADE AND TRANSFERS COVERED TWO PARAS OF G-77 DRAFT ON INDEXATION WITHOUT REACHING AGREEMENT. CONSIDERABLE INTEREST STIRRED, HOWEVER, BY AN AMENDMENT. TABLED BY MALTA PROPOSING THAT RESOURCE-DEFICIT DEVELOPING COUNTRIES BE PROTECTED FROM ADVERSE EFFECTS OF MAINTAINING HIGH COMMODITY AND RAW MATERIALS PRICES. THE MEETINT ALSO COVERED FOUR PARAGRAPHS ON TRADE POLICY ISSUES (STANDSTILL MTN/GSP, COUNTERVAILING DUTIES AND RESTRICTIVE BUSINESS PRACTICES). NO AGREEMENT WAS REACHED ON LANGUAGE BUT THE US WORKING PAPER LANGAUGE CALLING FOR CONDEMNATION OF SETTING OF PRICES AND RESTRAINING SUPPLIES (BY PRIVATE ENTERPRISES, STATE-OWNED ENTERPRISES OR BY COLLUSION OF NATIONAL

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GOVERNMENTS) SPARKED RESPONSES FROM G-77 DELGATES WITH STRONG

INTERVENTIONS BY IRAQI, IRANINA AND NIGERIAN REPS. END SUMMARY.

2. INTERNATIONAL TRADE (WORKING GROUP NO. 1 DISCUSSIONS

KEYED TO G-77 WORKING PAPER TEXT:

3. G-77 PARA L.C.) (STANDSTILL). EC SPOKESMAN SOUGHT

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